

## **Ancient Japan:**

8 males were 5'1, females were 4'8

21 In the 5<sup>th</sup> BCE, Japan picked up buddhism. We don't know if the Yamato king got it as a present or if buddhism started with migration. We do know the Japanese vigorously opposed buddhism at first. Confucianism, Taoism, and Chinese thought followed.

22 by 607 Japan used the title "the son of Heaven" which means they believed in Heaven by that time

22 emperors were descendants of the goddess Amaterasu

28 Shinto came about later at around 689

33 90% of the population lived in poverty or barely over it. In some regions, the percentages were even worse.

35 women would be made rulers if the king was deceased at the time.

65 Japan lacked leaders and were used to one-on-one fights, despite this, they still beat the Mongols.

100 Shinto means "the way of god". It is based around worshipping a multitude of gods known as kami. There are over 8 million. If not worshipped, they will turn destructive. Shinto has no core text nor founders.